GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1446
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KHAPERKHODA THERMAL POWER PLANT
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Power Finance Corporation has agreed to finance for the expansion of Khaperkhoda Thermal Power Plant;

(b) if so, whether agreement has been signed in this regard;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the time by which the expansion work is likely to be resumed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE)

(a) : Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) : M/s Power Finance Corporation has sanctioned a loan of Rs.1753 crore for expansion of Khaperkhoda Thermal Power Plant by way of installing one Unit of 500 MW capacity. Out of total cost of Rs.2170 crore of the Project, Government of Maharashtra has approved equity infusion of Rs.434 Crore. M/s Power Finance Corporation and Maharashtra State Power Generation Co. Ltd. have agreed to sign an agreement in this regard.

(d) : The order for supplying of main equipments for Khaperkhoda Thermal Power Plant (1x500 MW) is scheduled in September, 2006 after which the construction of the project is expected to start.